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DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

August 31, 2006

VALENTIN SHUSTOV  
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Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 10707788 in the amount of \$750.00 has been denied .

A decision has not yet been rendered on the petition filed June 5, 2006.

Sincerely,

*Karen Creasy*

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**PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.181 FOR REVIEW OF EXAMINER'S  
DECISION**

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Inventor: Valentin Shustov

Application No.: 10/707,788

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Title: Earthquake Protector

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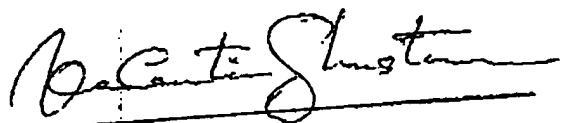
Examiner: A. Phi Dieu Tran

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to a notice or action by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. My Petition for revival of my application dated 05/29/06, according to my telephone communication of 08/01/06 with Mr. Woods, is going to be declined by the Office of Petitions because the Advisory Action of 03/21/06 states that my last amendment(s) of 01/16/06 "will not be entered because they raise new issues".

Taking into account that no new issues were raised in my amendment of 01/16/06,

1. APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIEW OF THE EXAMINER'S DECISION.
2. APPLICANT ALSO PETITIONS FOR REFUND OF THE PETITION FOR REVIVAL IN THE AMOUNT OF \$750.00.

Dated: August 2, 2006



Valentin Shustov